

Attorney Docket No. 2000.16

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Runkle et al.

Group Art Unit: 1732

Serial No. 09/851,242

Examiner: S. Staicovici

Filed: May 8, 2001

For: METHOD FOR MAKING A HOLLOW FIBER MEMBRANE CONTACTOR

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

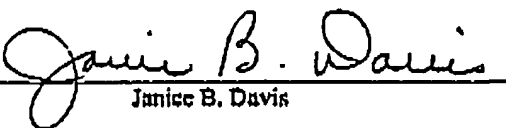
VIA FACSIMILE
571-273-1026
Attn: Mrs. Hensley
TOTAL PAGES: 2SUBSTITUTE
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENTCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 56 and Rule 97 et seq., Applicant hereby
submits Form PTO/SB/08a and the references listed thereon.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and
Trademark Office on June 8, 2005.


Janice B. Davis

The relevancy of the references is disclosed in a Decision of Rejection from the Japanese Patent Office in the related Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-132458, a copy attached hereto.

Each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

Any fee due may be charged to Deposit Account No. 08-2447.

Applicant respectfully requests that each reference be reviewed and made of reference in the instant application.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert H. Hammer III
Attorney for Applicant
Reg. No. 31,764

Customer No. 29494
ROBERT H. HAMMER III, P.C.
3121 Springbank Lane
Suite I
Charlotte, NC 28226
Telephone: 704-927-0400
Facsimile: 704-927-0485

B:\FIRMDOCS\2000\016\SuppIDS.doc